ND EMS Update – COVID-19 04/01/2020

Daily Notes

- Watch Governor Burgum's update at 4 PM (CST) Monday through Saturday.
 This can be viewed on local news stations or on the NDDoH social media feeds.
- Check back often to the CDC and NDDoH websites for updates.
- Remember to take care of yourself and each other as providers. You can't take care of others without taking care of yourself first.
- Keep in mind the ND Critical Incident Stress Management team is still available should the need arise during this time of crisis. See the link below.
- Please share our information and your expertise with Law Enforcement, Fire and other responders who may not get updates and who could encounter ill persons.
- Continue with daily screening and monitoring of your team.
- Please try to save any pump hand sanitizer dispensers you may have. We anticipate having hand sanitizer but limited dispensers.

New and Current Guidance/Items of Interest

- Seattle Fire Department has produced a video on COVID-19 response. It includes some good ideas for limiting exposure to personnel and equipment. https://vimeo.com/seattlefire
- Interim Guidance for Healthcare Providers during COVID-19
 Outbreakhttps://professional.heart.org/idc/groups/ahamah-public/@wcm/@sop/@smd/documents/downloadable/ucm 505872.pdf

Links

- NDDOH Website https://www.health.nd.gov/
- NDDOH / CISM Information: <a href="https://www.health.nd.gov/epr/emergency-medical-systems/eme
- CDC Website https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html
- ND HAN Website http://hanassets.nd.gov/
- EMS.gov Coronavirus/COVID-19 Resources https://www.ems.gov/projects/coronavirus covid-19 resources.html
- COVID-19 Peak Predictions https://covid19.healthdata.org/projections

Thank you again for all of your efforts on behalf of your fellow North Dakotans!

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